



Event Report Card

Event Name: Winterskol (Soupskol)

Event Date: 1/10/2014

Scoring:

- Excelled
- Met requirements
- Just missed requirements
- Did not meet requirements

Without a green rating for both waste and giveaways, no event may receive an overall green score.

Overall Effort: ●

Waste Stations	●
Giveaways/Sponsors	●

Scoring and comments are based on ZGreen checklist requirements including employee knowledge, education, giveaways, printing, waste stations, bulk distribution, water, decorations

Comments:

It was clear that the staff and volunteers were well-trained in greening efforts. There were no giveaways by either the host organization or sponsors, and no printed material was given away. The event was compost only and all compost bins were labelled correctly. This resulted in an almost zero-waste event. Some compost stations were staffed even while the compost bin was being emptied, so the volunteer was holding the compost bag by hand. The event provided local, organic, and vegetarian foods. The dishes and utensils were all compostable and no bottled water was offered or given away. The only decorations were the signs at each booth and they were recyclable or reusable. This event demonstrates that food can be distributed without creating an excess of trash going to the landfill.

Opportunities for Improvement:

The vendors did not instruct people on how to dispose of the compostable service ware. ZGreen could assist in developing some information to share with the vendors about their how role in making this a green event goes beyond ordering the right service ware. The lack of compost bins near the areas between the soup booths and the exits caused people to place their empty soup samples on the buckets holding the tents in place.

This report card will be kept on file and referenced for future events. It will also be made available to the public on our website. Please contact us at ZGreen@cityofaspen.com or (970)429-1831 with questions or comments.